BRADUCTION OF PRECIOUS METALS.

Gold Yield of the World for Eighteen Years-Silver Statistics. All the world is interested in the world's production of the precious metals. From the earliest ages staticians have endeavored to gratify public curiculty, and, possibly, solve politico-economical problems, by estimating the amount of gold in existence at different periods. These calculations are curious and interesting, and possibly correct. possibly correct.

AMOUNT OF GOLD IN EXISTENCE. For convenience, we state the gold values given in the following estimates and tables in millions of dollars. The estimated amount of gold in existence at the commencement of the Christian era was \$427,000,000. At the discovery of America, in 1492, this amount had diminished to \$57,000,000. In 1600 the amount had risen to \$105,000,000; in 1700, to \$351,000,000; in 1800, to \$1,251,000,000.

31,251,000,000.

The Russian mines, extending over one-third of the surface of the globe on parallel fifty-five degrees north latitude, were discovered in 1819. In 1843 the estimated amount of gold in existence was \$2,000,000,000. Next followed the discoveries in California, February 9, 1848, and in Anstralia, February 12, 1851, which added enormously to the gold production. In 1853 the amount in existence was \$3,000,000,000; in 1860,

To account for this vast increase, from A. D. 1800 to 1860, we give the estimates that from the discovery in 1819 to the close of 1860 the Russian mines added \$746,000,000, and the California and Australian discoveries added at least (to the same var.) \$2,000,000,000, many It was \$4,600,000,000. (to the same year) \$2,000,000,000 more.

MINING PRODUCT.

From the commencement of the Christian era to the discovery of America it is estimated that gold had been taken from the surface and mined to the amount of \$3,800,000,000; from that date to the close of 1842, \$2,800,000,000; to 1860, Russia adds \$748,000,000 and California and Australia \$2,000,000,000 more. These are estimates; we shall give, presently, tabular state-ments of the world's production for a period of eighteen years, which will convey a clearer idea of the amount and increase from year to

The annual average product of gold at the commencement of the Christian era is estimated at \$8,000,000; at the discovery of America this product had diminished to \$100,000; in 1600 it had increased to \$2,000,000; in 1700 to \$5,000,000; in 1800 to \$15,000,000; in 1843 to \$34,000,000; in 1850 to \$88,000,000; in 1853 to \$236,000,000; there was a subsequent falling off, so that in 1860 the product was only \$210,000,000.

The average annual loss by the wear of coin is estimated at one-tenth of one per cent.; the loss by consumption in the arts, and by fire and shipwreck is calculated at from one million to three millions per year.

It is not claimed that these estimates are entirely correct; they are approximately so, no doubt. The annexed tables were carefully compiled, and they are believed to be correct.

GOLD PRODUCT FOR A PERIOD OF EIGHTEEN YEARS, We give the total gold production of the world we give the total gold production of the world for a period of eighteen years, from the Cali-fornia discoveries to January, 1886. The first fifteen years are given in periods of five years, and in the last three years the amounts are stated separately. The value of the products is stated in millions of dollars, and to economize space we give only the figures for millions and hundreds of thousands:—

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	COLLEGE TO	48-1865.	
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Countries of Production	'48-'52,	a'53-'57.	'58-'62.
Mexico, etc.	18-0	20.0	20-0
Mexico, etc United States (Atlantic)	20	3.0	2.6
SOUTH AMERICA:-	W. W.	9.9	
Venezuela and New			
Grenada	7:0	7.0	7.5
Bolivia	4.5	4.6	4.8
Peru	9.7 6.2	8.1	13.4
Chili	5.6	5.8	6.8 5.3
ASIA:-	9.9	9.0	0.0
Maiay Peninsula	7.0	7.5	8.0
Farther India	20.0	22.0	18.0
Eastern Archipelago Japan	900	12·0 36·0	36 6
China and Thibet	85:0	85.0	85.0
NORTHERN EUROPE AND		00.0	000
_ ASIA	110-0	110.0	112.0
EUROPE:		0.0	19.00
	2.5	2:5 8:0	2.5
Austria and Italy	8·0 14·2	14.7	16.0
Spain	25.0	30.0	85.0
	-		00.0
Total old sources	373.7	383.1	394.9
HENTED STATES (Pacific)	251.0	320.0	287.0
BRITISH NORTH AME-			***
	A33000A	6	18.0
AUSTRALIA AND NEW	68:0	325.0	261:0
ZEALAND	00 0	Out to	201.0
Total new sources	319.0	645-6	566.0
Other countries	10.0	10.0	10 0
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gold-producing countries in the world for eighteen years of \$3,341,500,000, the Pacific States and Territories producing nearly onethird of the grand total, and Australia and New Zealand producing nearly one-fourth of the total amount. The average annual production for the same period is \$185,638,888, which is an actual addition every year to the world's stock

SILVER PRODUCTION FOR THE SAME PERIOD. The total production of silver for the eighteen years-1848-65-is given in the following table, and, as in the gold table, the amounts are given in millions of dollars:-

PRODUCTION OF BI			
Countries of Production.	-Quinqu 48-'52,	'53-'57,	riods.
Mexico, etc	168:0	172·0 2·0	165-0 20-0
Bolivia	6.0	20·0 8·0 82·0	20·0 8·0 82·0
Venezuela and N Com	19.0	18:0	18:0

NORTH AMERICA:-	8-152	'53-'57,	58-62,
Mexico, etc	168:0	172·0 2·0	165°0 20°0
Brazii Peru Chili Venezuela and N. Gre-	20·0 6 0 33·0 18·0	20·0 8·0 82·0 18·0	20·0 8·0 82·0 18·0
Asta:-	4.0	5.0	6-0
Malay Peninsula	5.0 10.0 40.0 55.0	5·0 10·0 40·0 55·0	5.0 10.0 40.0 60.0
ASIA	16-0	18 0	20.0
Germany Austria Spain England AFRICA Other countries	10·0 10·0 12·0 2·5 6·0 12·5	10-0 10-0 13-5 3-0 - 6-5 18-7	12-6 10-6 15-6 3-5 7-6 15-6
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NORTH AMERICA:-		1805.	Total for 18
Mexico, etc	25·0 10·0	25-0 15-0	Years. 5800 53-0
Bollvia 2.5	4·0 2·5	2.5	72:0 20:5
Peru	4.0	4.0	65.8
Grenada14	1.6	1.0	19-6
Malay Peninsula 10 Farther India 2-0	1.0	1.0	18:0
Japan 8.0 China and Thibet 12.0	8:0 12:0	8 0 12 0	144·0 206·0
AND ASIA 40	4.0	4.0	66-0
Germany 2.5	2:5	2.5	39-5
Austria	3.0	30	36-0 49-5
England	15	1.5 3.0	11:3 24:0 50:2
Grand Total994	94.9	99-9	1620-4

The relative values of gold and silver have been ascertained, with probable accuracy, almost from the date of the discovery of these precious metals and their use as mediums of exchange. In the time of Abraham the relative value of gold to silver was one to eight; a thousand years before the Christian era it was one to twelve; B. C. 500 it was one to thirteen; at the commencement of the Christian era it was one to nine. Since that period the standard, more positively stated, has been as to love.

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tinued to 1848. Before the California discoveries in that year, gold uniformly commanded a pre-mium which the indux then destroyed, and the demand for silver occasioned a slight premium on the latter. The relative value of gold to silver in London that year was 1d. to 154d. The price of gold was then 77s, 6d. per ounce, and of silver 594d. per ounce. On the 1st of January, 1866, silver was 62d. per ounce. This rise was due in a degree to the fact that short supplies of cotton from this country during the war required large sums of silver to be sent to India for cotton, as well as for other articles. After the gold discoveries in California, France began to exchange her silver for gold currency, sending the silver to India for silks and other products. The tea and silk trade or China with all countries also absorbs an immense amount of silver,

COMPARISON. The silver statistics give \$1,620,400,000 of production in eighteen years, against a gold yield of \$3,341,500,000 in the same period, or an average of \$90,022,222 in silver to \$185,638,888 in gold. Trustworthy statistics, covering all the producing countries, of the yield of gold and silver for 1866 are not now accessible; but the reader can easily estimate the probable production from the relative amounts in 1863-64-65 in the tables given. It will be seen from the silver tables that the annual increase since 1847, except in the United States, is very moderate, while the annual gold product is constantly increasing from new discoveries, and especially from the application of scientific processes to the extraction of the ore.

GOLD COINAGE.

We give the following statement to show the enormous increase in the gold coinage of differ-ent countries in the decade 1850-60, following the double discoveries in California and Australia:-From 1792 to the close of 1860, the total gold cottage of the United States amounted to \$610,000,000; of this total the large proportion of \$525,000,000 was coined in 1850-60. France coined in the period extending from 1726 to 1860, 7,700,000,000 francs, of which 4,200,000,000 francs were coined after 1850. Russia coined, from 1850 to 1860, 220,000,000 roubles, out of a total coinage since 1664 of 486,000,000 roubles. Great Britain shows a coinage in ten years from 1850 of £54,000,000, out of £259,000,000 coined

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Printed schedules for any class, together with instructions to bidders, giving the forms of proposal, of guarantee, and of certificate of guarantors, with printed forms of offers, will be furnished to such persons as desire to bid, on on application to the commandants of the respective Navy Yards, and those of all the yards on application to the Bureau. These schedules will be ready for delivery on the 20th of June, inst.

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The Commandant of each Navy Yard and the Purchasing Paymaster of each station will have a copy of the schedules of the other yards, for examination only, in order that persons who intend to bid may judge whether it is desirable to make application for any of the classes of those yards.

The proposal must be for the whole of a class; and all applications for information or for the examination of samples must be made to the Commandants of the respective yards.

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Commandants of the respective yards.

The proposal must be accompanied by a certificate from the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which the bidder resides, that he has a license to deal in the articles for which he proposes, and he must further show that he is a manufacturer of or a regular dealer in the articles which he offers to supply. The guarantors must be certified by the Assessor of Internal Revenue for the district in which they reside.

The contract will be awarded to the person who makes the lowest bid and gives the guarantee required by law, the Navy Department, however, reserving the right to reject the lowest bid, or any which it may deem exorbitant. Sureties in the full amount will be required to sign the contract, and their responsibility must be certified to the satisfaction of the Navy Debe certified to the satisfaction of the Navy De-partment. As additional security twenty per-centum will be withheld from the amount of the bills until the contract shall have been com-pleted, and eighty per centum of the amount of each bill, approved in triplicate by the Com-mandant of the respective yards, will be paid by the Paymaster of the station designated in the contract, within ten days after the warm.

the contract within ten days after the warrant for the same shall have been passed by the Secretary of the Treasury.

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No. 4. G u m Packing, Rubber T Hose, No. 5. Sperm Oil, [etc. No. 6. Linseed Oil, Turpentine, etc. No. 8. Leather Beil. No. 27. Black Walnut, Cherry, etc. No. 9. Tallowand Soap No. 10. Engin'rs' Stores No. 11. Engin'rs' Stores No. 12. Engineers' Instruments.

No. 13. Machinery.

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Nuts, etc.
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89, 40. BROOKLYN. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27, 29, 32, 31, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40. PHILADELPHIA. Nos. 1, 2, 6, 8, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 26, 27, 32, 34, 35, 37, 38, 39. WASHINGTON.

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Sealed Proposais, in duplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached to each, will be re-ceived at this office until 12 o'clock M., TUES-DAY, June 25, 1867, for materials and labor for repairs of Government Piers at Chester, Penn-Separate proposals must be made for timber,

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The proposals for labor to state the rate per foot of face and per foot board measure, etc., as measured in place; and these rates to cover all labor necessary for putting the works in good repair, such as removing old work, receiving, earing for, framing, putting together, and replacing materials to be used or moved.

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